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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Chair Committee on Appropriations, U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations, U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Austin ISD: Equitable Access to Outdoor Spaces in fiscal year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is Austin ISD located at 4000 S. IH 35 Frontage Rd, Austin, Texas 78704.

The funding would be used for the design and installation of outdoor classrooms on five campuses including shade, groundcover and seating; updated age-appropriate playscapes on four elementary campuses; and large shade structures on four elementary campuses.

This funding will provide enhancements to outdoor spaces that have historically been underutilized and decrease health disparities between higher poverty neighborhoods and lower poverty neighborhoods.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Lloyd Doggett